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Saint Mary's Hazard Communication Program was established to protect worker health when handling or working near hazardous materials on the job, and to reduce the incidence of chemical source illness and injuries. The plan is available to all employees of the College and includes the proper labeling of on-site containers, being able to identify signage, having material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) readily available to employees, and training employees on the use of hazardous chemicals, a written program, and information if creating a substance that is considered a trade secret. This Program complies with Cal-OSHA Title 8.

Applies to – All employees of or independent contractors who do work for the College, including Facilities Services employees, Science department staff and faculty, and the Student Health Care center employees.

Training required – Applicable employees and contractors are required to repeat every 12 months

Standards' location – EH&S website, and hard copy in Facilities Services.